

The National Endowment for the Arts is the only funder, public or private, that supports the arts in all 50 states in the United States.

IN THE PAST 5 YEARS...

The National Endowment for the Arts distributed more than **\$6,242,800** in grants in **Indiana**.



Blue Star Museums. Photo by Debra Huskin

In one year alone...

- Arts and cultural production in Indiana added **2.4% or \$8.4 billion** to the state's economy.
- Indiana's arts and cultural industries employed **87,490** workers. These workers earned wages and benefits totaling over **\$4.5 billion**.
- **46.9%** of Indiana's adults attended live music, theater, or dance performances, while **16.7%** attended art exhibits.



National Endowment for the Arts Programs from FY17-FY19

Blue Star Museums program provided free admission to thousands of active military personnel and their families at **143 participating museums** in Indiana.

Poetry Out Loud program provided opportunities for over **5,728 students** attending **72 high schools** in Indiana to appreciate—through study, memorization, and public recitation—great poetry.

The **NEA Big Read** program generated **297** community events focused on reading outstanding American literature and involving more than **13,840** adults and students in Indiana.

Shakespeare in American Communities program in Indiana enabled schools to offer children the opportunity to see free live professional performances of Shakespeare.

Creative Forces program is expanding access to creative arts therapies and arts engagement opportunities for injured service members, veterans, and their families and caregivers.

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Projects Funded by the Arts Endowment either Directly or Through its State Arts Agency Partnership Funds Occurred in These and Other Locations

IN-01

*Ambassador Christian Academy
Charter School of the Dunes
Gary International Film Festival
Lake Hills Elementary*

IN-02

*Conner Prairie Museum
DeBartolo Performing Arts Center
Morris Performing Arts Center
Roosevelt STEAM Academy*

IN-03

*Angola United Methodist Church
Fort Wayne Dance Collective
Studio
Fort Wayne Youtheatre
Wagon Wheel Theatre*

IN-04

*Cavankerry Press Ltd
Danville Public Library
Depauw University School Of
Music
Purdue Convocations at Purdue
University*

IN-05

*AMC Castleton Square
Beginnings Preschool and Child
Care
Benjamin Harrison YMCA Early
Learning Center
The Jazz Kitchen*

IN-06

*Clowes Memorial Hall
Darke County Center For The Arts
Earlham College
Village Lights Bookstore*

IN-07

*Bethel Early Childhood
Academy (BECA)
Christ Temple Christian
Academy
Flanner House Child
Development Center
Loving Hearts Learning Place*

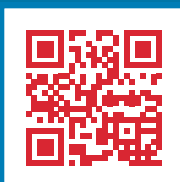
IN-08

*Angel Mounds State Historic Site
Dobbs Park
Tilson Music Hall
Vigo County Public Library*

IN-09

*Buskirk-Chumley Theater
Fairview Elementary School
Ivy Tech John Waldron Arts
Center
The Lilly Library*

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